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**REQUEST****FOR****CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,  
provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application  
filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

Application Number	09/994,368
Filing Date	11/27/2001
Confirmation Number	7273
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Group Art Unit	2176
Examiner Name	William D. Hutton, Jr.
Attorney Docket Number	2128.2001-001

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

**1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

**Note:** If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).

**a. [ ] Previously submitted**

i. [ ] Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on [ ].  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

ii. [ ] Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on [ ].

iii. [ ] Other -- [ ].

b. [X] Please do not enter the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on 09/07/2005.

**c. [X] Enclosed**

i. [X] Amendment/Reply

ii. [ ] Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iii. [ ] Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

iv. [ ] Petition for Extension of Time - [ ] month(s) - [separate sheet] [included in amend. fee trans.]

v. [ ] Other -- [ ].

**2. Miscellaneous**

a. [ ] Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of [ ] months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

b. [ ] Other -- [ ].

**3. Fees** The RCE fee under 37 CFR §1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR §1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. [X] A check is enclosed for the following fees in the total amount of \$990

OR

[ ] Authorization is granted to charge the following fees in the total amount of \$[ ] to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this document is enclosed for accounting purposes

i. [X] RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

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ii. [ ] Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)

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iii. [X] Amendment Fee

iv. [ ] Other -- [ ].

b. [X] Authorization is hereby granted to charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this document is enclosed for accounting purposes.

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AMENDMENT FOR SUBMISSION WITH RCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Sir:

The following is being submitted with an RCE for filing in the above-referenced patent application. In particular, the co-filed RCE and this Amendment are in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 7, 2005 and the Advisory Action dated September 14, 2005 in the above-identified application.

Please amend the application as follows:

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